

## SUPREME

### Court Holds In Favor Of The Commissioners

### In Reference To Claim For Burial Of A Soldier

### Inventory In The McFall Estate At Mansfield

### A Number Of Accounts Are Filed In Probate

### Other Items From The Temple Of Justice

The supreme court decided a case that will be of interest to undertakers, Tuesday morning, the case of Ohio ex rel H. M. Barger & Co., undertakers, vs. the board of commissioners of Pike county, says the Columbus Dispatch. Barger & Company had charge of the funeral of Matthias Howe, an old soldier, and presented a bill of \$75 to the county under the act of April 10, 1908, the committee to have charge of such burials having presented a voucher for that amount.

The county presented several defenses, one being that the act was invalid because it proposed to spend public funds for private purposes and because it gave a public duty to a committee that was privately constituted. Also the defense that Howe was not dependent. The court affirms the judgment of the Pike county circuit court which was in favor of the county commissioners, but it does not report the case so that it is not known on what ground it based its decision.

#### McFall Estate—

The total appraisement of the real and personal property of the estate of Hugh McFall is \$65,159 as made by E. G. Slough, W. L. Leonard, and William Dow in the probate court.

The inventory of the household goods and chattels is \$375.85. The horse belonging to McFall is valued at \$60 and his automobile at \$200.

The deceased had \$262.48 in the Citizens National Bank and a credit of \$8900.67 in the Mansfield Building & Loan association.

There are no lands, mortgages, notes or other accounts or bills receivable.

The McFall business block at the corner of Main and Third street, having a frontage of 60 feet on Main is appraised at \$48,000 or \$800 a front foot. The home property on West Third street is appraised at \$4,820 and a lot on Park Avenue West near Benton street is appraised at \$3,000. The total value of the real estate is \$55,820—Mansfield Shield.

#### First and Final—

Julia and Mary Stevens, administrators of Elizabeth Stevens, have filed a first and final account in probate, showing the following: Received \$4,770.74, paid out the same amount.

#### To File Petition—

In the case of W. M. Hayner vs. the state of Ohio in which the plaintiff in error was found guilty in the circuit

court of Knox county of soliciting orders for intoxicating liquor in dry territory, leave to file a petition in error in the circuit court of Knox county, was allowed by the supreme court of Ohio on Tuesday.

#### Account Filed—

W. I. Cline, administrator of Isabel Boyd, has filed a first and final account in probate as follows: Received \$712.12, paid out \$450.37.

#### First Partial—

Lillian S. Crumley, guardian of Helen K. Crumley, has filed a first partial account in probate, showing the following: Received \$853.93, paid out \$5.09, balance \$848.84.

#### Marriage Licenses—

William Lewis Combs, farmer, and Cella Neal, both of Martinsburg.

Alph F. Clutter, farmer, Morgan township, and Nada Hammer, Pleasant township. Rev. C. F. Ransbottom.

#### Deeds Filed—

Josephine C. McFadden et al. to Etta L. Painter et al. lots 26 to 29 inclusive, Updegraff's sub-division, \$3,500.

Alonzo M. Briggs to Grant R. Smith lots 7, 8, 9, John Wilson's add., Mt. Vernon, \$450.

Job S. Olin to Tennyson Swank, 142.92 acres in Berlin, \$14,272.

Jesse Earl Jones to Levi Conway, 28.66 acres in Hilliar, \$75.

P. J. Parker, sheriff, to Chas. O. Hawkins et al., 142 acres in Milford and Liberty, \$5,030.

## WILL DISCONTINUE

### Rural Routes If Not Kept In Good Condition

The local postoffices have received instructions from the postoffice department in Washington by which they are directed to inform themselves with reference to the condition of roads and bridges on the rural routes out from their offices, and if they find that the roads require improvement, the fact should be presented in the strongest and most positive way to the patrons and road officials, informing them that improvements must be made as soon as practicable. If, after a reasonable time has elapsed, the improvements have not been made or started, the postmaster will report the fact to the postoffice department in order that action may be taken looking to the discontinuance of the service. It is stated in the circular that "the department is not immediately concerned in elaborate road improvements, but in the interest of the best service to the largest number of patrons it must insist upon roads being kept in good repair, the lack of which is usually due to lack of drainage, and unsuitable grading and surface work, which can be easily and cheaply accomplished by timely work and the regular use of the split log drag or similar device."

#### CATARRH CANNOT BE CURED

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, Ohio.  
Sold by Druggists, price 75c.  
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

#### JAIL ON FIRE

New Haven, Conn., April 13.—The New Haven county jail, which is crowded with prisoners to overflowing, is on fire and is reported to be burning fiercely. Three alarms have been sent in and practically the entire fire department has been dispatched to the scene.

## MORTGAGE LOANS

We are in a position to take a few more first-class loans on mortgage security. Our liberal terms are well known. If you are thinking of buying or building, come in and talk over our terms.

The Knox Building & Loan Co.  
Office 5 E. High St. C. F. Colville, Secretary.

## CENSUS

### Enumerators To Begin Work On Friday

### Some Points Regarding The Census

The census enumerators will commence their work next Friday morning. The enumerators for Knox county have received their instructions from the department and are ready to take up their duties.

The census bureau sends out the following points regarding the census:

The census begins April 15 and must be completed in thirty days.

The enumerators will wear a badge inscribed "United States Census, 1910."

The law requires every adult person to furnish the prescribed information, but also provides that it shall be treated confidentially, so that no injury can come to any person from answering the questions.

The Census Bureau, prior to April 15, will distribute to every farm owner and tenant in this state a blank of schedule containing the Census questions relative to farm operations and equipment. This should be filled up, if possible, not later than the morning of April 15, but if anyone has been unable to fill it up by that time, he should do it as soon afterwards as he can.

People who do not speak English or who do not understand the schedule completely should get help from others, if possible, in filling it up.

The President has issued a proclamation, calling on all citizens to cooperate with the Census and assuring them that it has nothing to do with taxation, army or jury service, compulsory school attendance, regulation of immigration, or enforcement of any law, and that no one can be injured by answering the inquiries.

It is of the utmost importance that the farm census of this state be complete and correct.

Therefore every farm owner and tenant should promptly, fully, and accurately fill up the "Advance Farm Schedule" and carefully preserve it for the enumerator when he calls.

## WHY GROWTH

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(See second next week.)

## THE LIST

### Of Applicants Who Were Successful

### At The April Teachers' Examination

At the April teachers' examination there were 102 applicants and the following were granted certificates:

High school—P. D. Strasbaugh, three years; O. G. Taylor, one year; C. V. Metcalf, one year.  
Elementary for one year—Laura Cunningham, Floy Gleason, Edith Murphy, Pearl Staats, Lefie Wertz, Denzel Van Winkle, Guy L. Ackerman, Paul R. Adams, Leland S. Bricker, Ralph Chambers, Guy B. Ewart, Carl Stamm.

Elementary for two years—Earl J. Barnard, Walter Riley, Mae Pealer.

Ely's Cream Balm has been tried and not found wanting in thousands of homes all over the country. It has won a place in the family medicine closet among the reliable household remedies, where it is kept at hand for use in treating cold in the head just as soon as some member of the household begins the preliminary sneezing or snuffing. It gives immediate relief and a day or two's treatment will put a stop to a cold which might, if not checked, become chronic and run into a bad case of catarrh.

## PROJECT

### For Constructing A Large Traction System

### Connecting Up Several Important Ohio Cities

### Visit Of Financial Man Of Development Company

### Who Confers With Committee Of Citizens' Association

### Relative To Raising Funds For Preliminary Survey

Another effort is being made to project a traction line between Mt. Vernon and Marion, but added to it is an extensive line, embracing the connecting up also of Delaware and Mansfield, and Mt. Gilead and Galion.

This would make a very elaborate traction layout, and would make a system connecting up a large section of country that would be of vast business importance.

On Wednesday morning Mr. G. H. Carpenter of Cleveland, the financial man of the General Traction Development company of Cleveland, accompanied by Messrs. A. A. Whitney and C. D. Smiley, came over from Mt. Gilead, passing along, as far as practicable, the proposed route between this city and Mt. Gilead, and on their way arranged for meetings during the afternoon and evening at Fredericktown and Chesterville.

Upon arriving in Mt. Vernon a call was made upon President Penn of the Citizens' association, and through him a meeting was arranged to be held at 2 o'clock with the executive committee of the association, at which time the matter was fully presented by Mr. Carpenter, who also, as far as possible, went into details concerning the project, and the result of the conference will be presented at a meeting soon of the Citizens' association.

It is proposed at this time by Mr. Carpenter to have a corps of engineers go over the routes between the cities mentioned above and make a complete report of the feasibility and practicability of building the several lines, embracing them in one operating system.

To make this preliminary survey and report an expense of about \$3,500 will be entailed, and it is proposed that the cities most largely concerned and interested in the plan subscribe, through its citizens, to the fund. The division of the expense would amount to about \$500 to each of the cities referred to.

After the report of the engineers is made, and should it be favorable, the matter will be taken up by the General Traction Development Co. with Eastern capitalists with a view of interesting them in financing the proposed system.

## OFFICERS

### Elected By Milford Tp. Sunday School Convention

At the convention of the Milford township Sunday schools Tuesday afternoon and evening the following officers were elected:

President—Torrance Mitchell.  
Vice-President—W. D. Stoughton.  
Secretary—Evangeline Pitkin.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Lenna Chapman.

The speakers during the afternoon and evening were Rev. Hoagland and Rev. Pickle of Centerburg. The music was furnished by the Centerburg quartette.

## POISONED

### Were Two Sons Of A Wealthy Italian

Pittsburg, Pa., April 13.—The two sons of Phillip Badalla, a wealthy Italian, of Williamsburg, were found dead in bed this morning. Victims of poison.

## CONVENTION

### Of The Ohio Christian Endeavor Union

### At Cincinnati In June A Great Event

The Annual Convention of the Ohio Christian Endeavor Union is to be held this year in Cincinnati, June 21-24. Music Hall will be the place of meeting. The program that is being prepared will be attractive to every type of Christian worker. The enthusiastic Christian Endeavorer and the one who ought to be earnest will have a chance to go to school to Prof. Amos R. Wells, editor of the Christian Endeavor World, for three successive mornings and learn the best methods of the movement from the chief Christian Endeavor Specialist. Besides every department of the C. E. work is to have an hour in the school of methods by State specialists. Junior workers will have the special help of Miss Lillian E. Hayes, State Junior Superintendent of Indiana.

Those who are interested in the deepening of the Spiritual Life will find at Cincinnati a great opportunity. The Quiet Hour Services will be in charge of the Rev. J. K. McClurkin, D. D., Pittsburg, Pa., who has always been a channel of blessing to audiences of young people which he has addressed. The addresses all the morning sessions will bear directly on the thought of exalting Christ to the first place in the individual life, and are to be delivered by President C. I. Brown, D. D., of Findlay College and the Rev. F. F. Dornblaser, D. D., Chicago, Ill.

Pastors and others interested in the spread of the Christian faith will have peculiar opportunities at Cincinnati, to hear some of the great Missionary workers of the times, both of America and Foreign Fields. Some of the names are F. E. Higgins, "The Lumber Jack Sky Pilot;" Rev. D. W. Powers, D. D., secretary of the Home Mission Board of the Christian church; Mr. J. Harvey Borton, Philadelphia, who has special fitness to speak on "Individual Work for Individuals;" Rev. Lynn Harold Hough, a leader in the Young People's Missionary Movement; Rev. Willis R. Hotchkiss, of South Africa.

Those who feel that Christianity ought to devote itself to the service of humanity here and now will be pleased that Charles Stelzle, superintendent of the Department of Church and Labor of the Presbyterian church, is to be present, also Gov. J. Frank Hanley of Indiana; George R. Stuart, Temperance Orator; Rev. W. W. Bustard, D. D., pastor of the Euclid Avenue Baptist Church, Cleveland; Rev. Ira Landrith, D. D., of Presbyterian Brotherhood fame.

Lovers of soul-stirring music in a great congregation may go to Cincinnati in high expectation for Prof. E. O. Excell is to lead the singing and Prof. C. H. Marsh is to play the accompaniments.

A special feature of this year's program is to be the unique celebration of the Silver Anniversary in which it is expected that the actual silver dollar which are to remove the debt will be shown.



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## LAKE HIAWATHA PARK CONCESSIONS

Bids will be received for the sale of concessions at Lake Hiawatha Park for the park season ending September 10th, 1910, also for the week of the Knox County Fair ending September 17th, 1910. Two separate bids will be received, one for park season and one for fair week.

### Bids for the Park Season will be Closed April 30th, 1910

Arrangements for concessions in combination, or singly, may be made at the office of L. C. Penn.

The following concessions are for sale: Peanuts, popcorn and candy, soft drinks, ice cream, cigars and tobacco, chewing gum, hokey pokey, dining room, dairy kitchen and lunch room, dancing pavilion, boat house, bowling alleys, billiard tables, shooting gallery, toboggan slide, photo and picture privileges, stationery and post cards, also many other special concessions.

Mail bids to J. S. McCrackin, Secretary, Mt. Vernon, Ohio, or deliver the same at the office of L. C. Penn, 14 South Main street, Mt. Vernon, Ohio.

The right is reserved to accept or reject any or all bids.

## The

## Hiawatha Park Association Company

J. S. McCrackin, Secretary.

## NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS

Sealed proposals will be received at the county auditor's office, Mt. Vernon, Knox County, Ohio, until 1:30 o'clock, p. m., Saturday, April 23, 1910.

for all labor and materials necessary to build and construct complete, the superstructure and also separate bids for the superstructure up to the inspection of all persons interested in the same, during business hours of each day of the week, except Sunday.

The plans, estimates, quantities and specifications for going this work as per county plans, are on file in the office of said county auditor for the inspection of all persons interested in the same, during business hours of each day of the week, except Sunday.

Each and every bid must be accompanied by a certified check, cash or bond in the sum of 50 per cent of the bid. This is to show good faith on the part of the bidder or bidders, and the same shall become the absolute property of the County of Knox, State of Ohio, in lieu of all damages should the successful bidder or bidders refuse to neglect to enter into a written contract with the said Board of County Commissioners for the furnishing of said materials and for doing the said work within five days after the award of the same and give good and sufficient bond to the faithful performance of his or their contract or contracts as required by law.

If a certified check is tendered, it must be drawn without conditions and be payable to the County Auditor, Knox County, Ohio. If cash is tendered, it must be United States legal tender, and if a bond is tendered it must be signed by at least two sureties all freeholders in Knox County, Ohio.

No proposal will be considered unless it complies with all these rules and regulations. All bidders are warned to carefully read the same and comply with them.

The Board of County Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

By order of the Board, IRVIN YOUNG, County Auditor.

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